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## Remarks/Arguments

The Office Communication dated September 22, 2008, states that Applicant's application contains sequence disclosures as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.821(a)(1) and (a)(2). The Office Communication further states that the application fails to comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.821-1.825 because claim 8 does not recite a sequence that has a sequence identifier. Applicants have amended claim 8 to include a sequence identifier, thus rendering the rejection against this claim moot. Accordingly, it is respectfully submitted that the application is in condition for allowance. Reexamination and reconsideration of the application, as amended, are requested.

If for any reason the Examiner finds the application other than in condition for allowance, the Examiner is requested to call the undersigned at the Los Angeles, California telephone number (310) 785-4617 to discuss the steps necessary for placing the application in condition for allowance.

If there are any fees due in connection with the filing of this response, please charge the fees to our Deposit Account No. 50-1314.

Respectfully submitted,

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